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## NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE WAR-

The Columbus correspondent of The Cincinout of 500 Reads prisoners, at Canp Chase, to accept this great strugger on the causalty and from the case in the offer of exchange. Col. Richardson, Commandant at Camp Chere, received instructions from the Commandary of buttle would necessarily depend on the received and of Prisoners to make up a list of 3,000 on their courage and efficiency. If the configuration of the config read the order, which was received with cheers. He This was not the end of the matter, however. Soon them a resolved to test the matter thoroughly, and again ashad occurred. He told them that he would take anif victorious, they would rejoice together. They we
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the subject. Would our soldiers agree to take that those who remained behind would have to continue same courts. th prison. He there easiled upon them to make their to liberate the shaves introduced it to liberate the shaves introduced it. choice. Immediately two hundred and sixty stepped termination of the war. What is this dat a forward, requesting to remain, some of them stating that they preferred to stay in prison ten years rather that they preferred to stay in prison ten years rather say to them: 'Come to us and we will make you free.' that they preferred to stay in prison ten years rather say to them:
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Further information in reference to the Bordeaux steamer, said to have been obtained by the Reb-

All is quiet in the Arry of the Potomac: the weather is quite cold. Col. Spear, of Kautz's cavalry. met with a serious necident on Saturday by his horse falling upon him.

Drake de Kay has been breveted Major for gallant services at the battle of the Wilderness, in August, 1864 and Lient, Colonel of the Regular Army

for gallantry at Spottsylvania.

The Commission to select a site for a Navy Yard and Naval depot in the Western waters have reported in favor of Caronde'et and Mound City.

## GENERAL NEWS.

The total number of deaths in this city for the week erd ng on Saturday was: Men, 110; women, 163; boys, 155 pirls, 111; total, 479, or an increase of 6 on the preceding week. The following are some of the principal causes of death: Apoplexy, 9; brenchitts, won 9; convulsions, infantile, 20; croup, 16; diphtherite, 19; ferers, scarlet, 17; typhoid, 8; typhus, 11; inflammation of brain, 13: inflammation of lungs, 47; small pox, 30; disease of leafn, 13; consumption, 87; dropsy, 10; dropsy in head, 17; marasmus, infantile, 31; burned or scalded, 2; essualties, 2; murdered, 1; deaths in public

Benjamin Stevens, esq., for many years serant-at-orms of the M advanced age of 75 years. Mr. Stevens was known throughout the commonwealth as a gentleman of should courteous and affable manners, and of simplicity and war. integrity of character, which made all men respect him.
He was sergent-ot-arms from 1835 to 1829, consecutively, and a member of the lower bouse of the Legislature both before and effect his because of the Legislature both before and effect his incumbency of that office.

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Barney, A. A. Lawrence and J. Wharton Smith.

The President has recognized Johann F. Schroeder, Vice-Consul of Russia for New-Orleans.

current rates, and no order of consequence could be had public can quite a large business was done. At the Second bounded cadengas by his main kind virtues and graces, whether of the Old scale passage and involved cadengas by his main kind virtues and graces, whether of the Old scale passage and involved cadengas by his main kind virtues and graces, whether of the Old scale passage and involved cadengas by his main kind virtues and graces, whether of the Old scale passage and involved cadengas by his main kind virtues and graces, whether of the Old scale passage and involved cadengas by his main kind virtues and delay in making their tip.

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and large amounts are losned on call at 5 per cent. Last Evening. The stock market was very firm. Gold was etrong, with sales after call at 2003, and selling at clo port at 2074.

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## ARBING SLAVES FOR SLAVEBY.

Hon. Thomas S. Gholson of Virginia-long an influential Democratic member of her Legiston-has been making in the Rebel House a conflict. How can they hope instantly to re- the use which has been made, by the Naval to uphold a Rebellion whose sole impulse was extract from Mr. G.'s speech, giving a synopsis of his reasons for opposing the scheme. Mr. and abandoned, Gholson's cardinal objections to the proposed arming of slaves are these:

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Mr. Rasioff denies the report that the vessel was sold to the Rebeis by the Danish Government.

cording to the census of 1860, the white population of the counties converbing e counties of Prince George, Notional whatan and Cumberland, There would not in le slaves between the ages of le and s will have become indolent and will have become indolent and will be without restraint and rendy for will be curtain drop. Objections in hear little more

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confide in their acree attitude and protestations. the cause of the convening of this Board. But how could this be expected? Possibly, a terms, the pithy old distich-

on their own official reputations:

"As these experiments may not, however, be considered on making soldiers out of negroes anyhow—
how the columns of their organs still teem with characterizations of negroes as kinsmen of corrang-entangs and chimpanzees—how 'Abolition' and 'Nigger Equality' have been their rawtion' and 'Nigger Equality' have been their rawthere are hoped to be considered to be considered as the present of the failure of the Parrott cans, and is, is the considered to the principal one, we think that this subject should be so mally tested as to pince the opinion of the investor, the principal one, we think that this cause of bursting of these guas beyond dispute; and also whether it be possible to obviate it entirely or not." ature, afterward a Representative at Washing- head-and-bloody-bones throughout the pending This paragraph also affords a clear insight into

# THE NAVAL ORDNANCE REPORT | public and private rights.

ON THE BURSTING OF GINS. portunity to not concurrently with those, who, years since in The Tribune? No mention i nder regulations honestly and intelligently both cases, of the Assistant-Secretaries of the used upon official and unofficial suggestions. Navy and War.

ilgent and statesmanlike standpoint, and whose print: reports shall be simple, direct and trustworthy as those of Farragut, instead of mere shuffling,

or minds, payers and defenders, and to crush with a re- to this Board. sistless hand all troublesome innovations What then is the value of this Report? What urged by private citizens, "not in the official reliance can be placed upon the action of this der every ground assumed by us at the topgething of the war. We solemally declared that to seemble of proceed for consideration, real causes of failure country, refuse and ignore all testimony cave that of the inventor and manufacturer of the war. We now propose to arm them as soldness, we statistic to be bound by server principle of has alty to attraction, unthought of, or ignored by selfish, then the cause of the failure of which modere J. S. Missroon, Commedere R. B. Oil Company; capital stock \$4,000,000,000; halo slaves between the new of 1s the target of the Navy, to whom is awarded the Secretary; Oily Gammon, Legal Adviser; Lember negarity of introducing the class of Linch and couling the party of the Navy, to whom is awarded the Secretary; Oily Gammon, Legal Adviser; Lember negarity of introducing the class of Linch and Colliver Hop. C. Heat, Baron Munchansen. Senator Thombulland Representatives Wilson of feward Dawson of Pennsylvania, compose the John Committee to wait upon Precident Lincola and informal min of his reference of Senator Maryland died possessation of his dection to the Vice-Presidency.

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The Board of Supervisors yesterday adopted resolution of firing the new Centrhouse in the Legislature will remove the Capital to this City.

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tatesmanlike and forcible argument against verse the current of this impetuous stream and Ordnance authorities, of the vast number of exthe Lare-brained project of arming the slaves set it running vehemently up hill? Mr. Ghol- perimental shells (facts!) more than 20,000 of all son is right-this negro game will never win. calibers, costing not less than \$150,000, which the aggrandizement and perpetuation of Slavery. Only as a delver or as a scare-crow-never as a have been fired away at the expense of the We ask the eareful attention of those who be- soldier and a man-can Sambo be rationally ex- National Treasury during the years devoted to pected to aid the Rebellion; hence we learn exploding experimental and inspection charges. have a vast Military resource as yet untouched without surprise that the attempt to fill the at Mr. Parrott's semi-official ordnance foundry in the persons of their slaves, to the following Rebel armies with negroes has, since the utter- before his guns were accepted, and fully justiance of Mr. Gholson's speech, been defeated fies all we have previously said in repreheusion of this class of officials and their disregard of

> In connection with this point, the following inquiries naturally arise: Where were General in Wall-st. for more than half a century, is actiously ill We wish to place the character of this re- Gillmore and a host of ordnance officers, who have tarkable official production, in the full scope had experience with the Parrott gun, and have of its spirit and details, before the public and condemned its larger calibers? Where Mr. the powers that be, to exhibit burieucracy in Horatio Ames, Mr. B. B. Hotchkiss, and its true light, and to introduce, if possible, Messrs. Knap and Rudd, private citizens, but within its routine-guarded portals, an infusion who have bad very large experience bearing of that outside non-official inventive genius and on this question? Where was Mr. Norman mechanical skill which, unfettered by formulas Wiard, whose widely accepted theory of the and red-tape, has made so much, hitherto, of cause of failure of great guns-namely, the unthe material progress, prosperity and glory of equal expansion by heat of the inner surface our country. We desire to give the representa- and metal along the bore of heavy guns as now tives of these elements of National strength an op- | constructed-was so fally illustrated some two exclusively dominated the designing and fabri- ing that it was, at that time, indersed by th cating of ordnance, so as to insure an exhaust- unanimous action of a Board ordered by the we incurry into the cause or causes of the inei- Secretary of the Navy to examine it, composed d failure of all large guns that have of the then Assistant-Chief and now Chief of een officially designed or adopted; also to se- Naval Ordnance, and one member of the Board are an honest and intelligent examination and making this Report, Lieut.-Commander Wm. satical testing of all proposed designs, new N. Jeffers, Superintendent of the Washington esthols of fabrication, and all probable reme- Navy-Yard, and the then Assistant-Chief of lies calculated to result in the greater efficiency, the Army Ordnance Bureau, Capt. Benton, grough and durability of such guns; and, now Superintendent of the Washington Arsenal, over, to seeme the adoption and introduc- which indersement took, as we are informed don of all such improvements as can be practi- the shape of an order for a number of guns ally demonstrated, under the direction of the from the Naval Ordnance Bureau, and the t official and private engineering and me- promise of a very large order from the Army harrical ability, acting with equal authority, Ordnance Bureau, through the direct action, in

> We also desire to see a manly, patriotic and Were any of these gentlemen invited or alchoic-sonied management of the Navy Depart- lowed to testify before this Board? Did any of State Editorial Association last week, the following ment, in all its bureaus, which shall make them make an effort to be heard before this avoritism the exception rather than the Board! Did any of them have a hearing? de, which shall compel nepotism and We find the following answer, so far as personal friendship to keep their appropriate Mr. Wiard is concerned, in a pamphlet en- Executive Committee-F. S. Mil's, A. A. Vance, M places-which shall consider all national and titled "Inefficiency of Heavy Ordnance," public questions and interests from an intell now before us, bearing a Washington im-

" I came to Washington with diagrams and drawings costing me dear mouths of inter, and a carefully studies argument, containing very full information on this subas those of Farragut, instead of mere shuffling traces could not support and those of Farragut, instead of mere shuffling whitewashing efforts to gloze over and cover up damaging facts, to bew lifer and mislead the independent of all who read them.

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who may have dared to criticise, or have Board, when the members composing it, and atruction, unthought of, or ignored by selfish, identical guns, the cause of the failure of which

He was also an active and zealous free-mason, and was solders on the same foother. We shall have pinced of the same foother and with chaste expression and warment to the last a constant attendant upon the meetings and festivals of that order.

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-We defy any candid, intelligent mind to and extensive demoralization of the morale of looking Jewish countenance." The remark is Gold opened at 206, fell to 2054, and closed at resist the force of these considerations. If the the service, the wasting of millions of treasure, very illiberal; but it is explained by the fact Gold opened at 206, fell to 2054, and closed at Confederates were really fighting for inde- and a weakening of the offensive and defensive that our correspondent has been a good while The market is dum, and buyers for a new opward turn not for Slavery, power of the nation, as appears by its Report, with the armies; and camp-followers, whether prices. There is no large supply of gold-bearing boods at and were they all heartily agreed to strike was Capt. R. P. Parrott, a graduate of West Jew or Gentile, but especially those who are Slavery at once out of existence and call the Point, and the contractor and furnisher of the intent on trade and speculation, are not exwithout advancing prices materially. Railway shares were negroes into the field on the basis of 'Liberty, 703 rifled guas mentioned in the Report, and of pected to be found resplendent in all the

ever the morning rates. Money is more than ever abundant thereby, provided the Blacks should thoroughly turer of the very guns, the failure of which was as upright, as liberal, as benevolent, as never beard stoccaded, and, we believe, never equa pure, as the best of their neighbors; but they His two left k-nd pieces were really satonis do not happen to be on the scent of cotton-bales form, clear in design, brilliant and effective, But how could this be expected? Tokana, a mishes an illustration of the comprehensiveness down in Tennessee or Mississippi. Mr. Davis, treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment of his subjects is neither striking nor original treatment or neither striking neither striki of the views entertained by this Board in re- we think, gives to our correspondent's remark a nal, but partake of his playing, and is pleasing,

Senator Hicks of Maryland who was struck with paralysis last week, died yesterday at his hotel in Washington. The Semptor suffered amputation of a leg less year, and that to stler with the excitement attendant upon his position as Governor of Maryland, at the outbreak of the Rebellior, is supposed to have hastened the fatal shock. Gov. Hicks was in his 76th year. It is said that he had recently sold his farm to Northern gentleman, and had signified his intention of retiring from the Schale. In the negatime, the position of Collector of Palitino e had been tendered him and it is understood it would have been accepted has his life and health been spared.

Cel. Hugh H. Janeway of the First New Jersey Cavalry, wounded in t e late action near Petersburg, reached his hore in Jo se, City last week. H is an example to young nen of untaltering devotion his twelfth wound. Entering his regiment at the begin ning of the war, nine eea years old, he has risen to I Colonel at twenty-three. As soon as his wound i healed he will have a brigade of cavalry, and in the position will be the youngest, as he is one of the ables nd most deserving, officers in the service.

Mr. Jacob Little, the well known financies whose name has been "familiar as household words so which so that his life is de paired of. His disease wi probably culminate in softening of the brain. Year vith age e me repeated reverses against which he wa less and less able to contend, and eventually he gav place to younger man. Yet le did not altogether re linquish business, though his name belongs rather to the just than the present, continuing to fallow bi accustomed round of duties till within a few days past when his mind broke down under the unequal struggle and he was taken to his home probably never more t return to the seene of his long and ardness career.

The Count of Paris who served on McClel lan's Stoff, in a letter to Mr. F. M. Edge of London criticises McClellen's mulitary policy, as well as hi great mistake in leading the political movement of las Fall. The Count adds that his entire sympathies wer with Mr. Lincoln before the election, and that he bit terly regrets the fatel lack of energy and moral conage displayed by McCleilan in the Peninsular campaign

Andrew J. Donelson, adopted son of Andrey Jackson, who will be remembered as a prominent cit. zen of Tennessee, and who was a candidate for the Vice Presidency on the ticket with Millard Fillmore in 1856 recently came within the Union lines at Nashville took the amnesty outh, and has since been privileged t go where he pleased in that State without let or his derance from the Federal authorities. During his tern Dixie be did not enter into either the civil or militar; service of the Rebels, and did not compromise himse in support of the cause of seces ion further than cicumstances compelled. He pesied Caire, a few days age, bound to Bolivar, Miss., where he owns two o three plantations. Nothing remains of them, we be here, but the land, the negroes, stock and improve ments having all been swept away by the ravages o

At the annual meeting of the New-Jerset officers were elected: For President-T. W. Foote. Vice Presidents-1st T. Nixon; 2d. Jacob Stults; 3d Clark Pierson; 4th. O. Vanderhoven; 5th. E. N. Fuller. Secretary-John F. Enboock. Trensury-David Nam

Ex-Senator Foote of Tennessee, and late of the Repel Senate, sailed on Saturday from this port for Europe, in the steamer City of Cork, in search of some saquestered spot" in which to end his days.

CONCERT AT NIELO'S SALOON-THE NEW ARTISTS Last night, the a tists recently brought over America at Nillo's Saloon, before a nun erons and verand of persuading t can to forsake their regulators, and We say this facility is fortunate and peculiar, but we do not find, as a general rule, that gentus is efflorescent Lord, or My Lady, bears little relation to the quality of an artist, and New-York las arrived at that stage

rounded form and handsome tands and arms, and as intelligent countenance. The instrument sie has cae on, one would suppose would prove awkward for a ladto menage, but she uses it not only easily, but grace fully. She has a very sweet and tender tone on the in

quired to secure a solid, full, round tone caunot be ex

pertainly become a favorite with the public wherever she appears, and her debut may be chronicled as suc-

Mr. James M. Webli, is certainly a first-class plan, lat-one who can bold his own, no matter who may play before or after him. We speak of him now as an executant, as one wh

whose fingers have been educated so faithfully and so cance probabling the springing of saten the different sales. admirably that he is said to have two right hards-al | to though in his case, if we wish to compliment bim, we hand mechanism. His style is essentially of the Thalberg school, not only his playing but his composition.

He is cool and impassive at the instrument, and be-trays but little movement in his most difficult passages. His scale passages, especially the chromatic, are smooth, silvery and finely articulated. His sixths and thirds are so good as almost to len specialty, while his extrematic are expected to those of any plantist we ever heard. He has certainly a giorious technique, rare in its perfect and articles are civil to those of any plantist we ever heard. He has certainly a giorious technique, rare in its perfect are considered to the constant of the civil of the period of ten years, are printing in the civil of the period of ten years, are printing in the civil of the period of ten years, are period of the civil of the civil of the civil of the period of ten years, are period of the civil of the civil of the period of ten years, are period of ten years, are period of ten years, are period of the civil of the civil of the period of ten years, are period of the civil of the civil of the period of ten years. equality and its perfect distinctness.

Twenty art Ward Union Association was held on heating the characteristic such as we find in Gottschalk, no positive creative pentus which stamps upon all it does the personality of the creator. And yet be possesses a charm of manner, a gracefulness of thought, and an elegance and sweetness of expression which is fascinating in a high degree.

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He unquestionably has force, but in brazurs pas

sages, and in crisp, steel-point like touch, he is not comparable with Gottschalk. But as we have said, therefis s charm, a quiet fascination in his manner which takes the enthusiasm of his audience, resulting as it did last night in persistent oncores for every piece. His left hand is, certainly, marvellously fine: his

legant and graceful.

We have rarely seen a debut more decided than Mr. Wehli made last night; each perform thee was received with enthusiasm, and we are satisfied that his visit to this country will prove to him both honorable and profit The Chickering grand place upon which be played is one of the finest instruments, if not the finest, we ever heard in a concert room, its tone was surprisingly beautiful, round, rich iuli, power'ul and brilliant. In the most rapid passages and in the passages of the greatest force, every note was perfectly articulate, and its sustaining or singing quality was as vocal as a rich human voice. It justly xeited universal admiration.

Mdlle, Culiste Huntley, a debutante, was the vocalis f the evening. She sings in excellent style, and for a ovice acquitted herself more than creditably. She has s voice of large compass and of very fine quality. The aiddle register, however, should be carefully attended there is a certain doudness, a want of spontanicity, which will deprive her of the power of passionate exression in the very part of her voice where it is most reded. She is, however, a decidently promising young tist. Mr. Weinlich sang two songs in place of Mr. temi, in a creditable manner. Signor Bendalari aq empanied the vocal music very efficiently.

The second Corcert takes place at Niblo's Salcon toerrow night, when a new programme will be pre--- Mr. J. N. Patterson's third soirce musicale

s postpoued until Thurs lay evening of sent week. -Fra Diarolo will be given for the last time, alight, at the Academy of Music.

Drivacuri Affairs.
Sr. Lours, Monday, Feb. 13, 1865.
The State Convention to-day unanimously assard a resolution industing the action of the Presient in the late price conference, and piedging the oral people of Missouri to entain the Government to the last extremity in prosecuting the war until peachall be established or conquered on the lasts contained. hall be established or conquered on the last a the President's note to Secretary Seward.

### The Indian Troubles,

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OMAMA, February 12, 1863.

The telegraph is again working to Denver.

The Indians, in small lands, are at different points
It alone the road from Fort Kearney westward. The
indian body has some up the North Platte.

Col. Collins, with his command, has had a series of
agagements with the Indians between Jelesburg and
Laramic, which lested for six days. The Indians are
astimated to number 2,600, while our addiers number
than 100 not sufficient to follow and chastise the bout 100, not sufficient to follow and chastise the

Arrival of the Britannia.

Postlann. Monday, Feb. 13, 1865.

The steamship Britannia from Glasgow the Sth wit, arrived here this afternoon, and will sail for New-York as soon as her freight has been discharged

UNION GENERAL COMMITTEE - A Special Meetog of this Committee was held last evening at their adquaries corner of Broadway and Twenty-third-st. releved remolutions which we give below were presented by conver an oration under the acception of the Committee in once suitable building in this city: E. Deland Smith, the large transport of the Committee in one suitable building in this city: E. Deland Smith, the large transport of the Committee in adjourned. The following prescribe and resolutions are those referred to showed in access. The Committee the adjourned. The following prescribe and resolutions are those referred to showed in access. The Committee the adjourned of the regulation of the Maximal Constitution forever excluding invery from the land of Washington; and, whereas, the appearance of our own Sate of New York, under the lead of a capacitous and pairintle Governor, has promotely ratified this cand of Freedom and of Justice therefore the Resolved, That the Union the eral Committee of the second of the delay and unappear of the delay of the delay of the delay and unappear of the delay of the

American Union.

Resolved, That we bail with gratitude and admiration the Resolved, That we had with gratitude and admiration of the Pre-fid at to preserve and perpetuate one common country upon the soil of the United States; and we rejudes that the willy sectiones of the Richman's called have been folded by the partialism, the risdom and the states an askin of ARRAMAM Lincols, and of the states and of th

de Chief Secretary, the honored son of ew. core.

HENRY H. HURLAT. | Secretaries.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS-THE NEW COURT-HOUSE SPREED FOR A STATE CAPITOL-An adjourned mee ne Board of Supervisors was held at their rooms in the City

shich were adopted unanimously:

Wierres: It is a contemplation to remove the capital of the
last of New York from its present location; and whereas,
is a try of New York is the recognized metropolis, not only
if the latter but if the nation; and whereas, too new Continue is well adapted to the purposes of a "time capital, and

through that the State authorities be invited to designate a Chiy of New York as the capital of the Ends and to accept the new can the use as a capital, and to designate say that the which will more precisely adapt it to the purposes

BOARD OF ALDERMEN-AN ORDINANCE AGAINST STORING PETROLEUX.—A meeting of the Leard of Aldermea
was held yesterday afternoon, Alderman Masterson in the
bair. The following communication in reference to the
dorage of petroleum was received from Mayor Guntler:

chair. The following communication in reference to the storage of petroleum was received from Mayor Comities: Storage of petroleum was received from Mayor Comities. To the Honora is the Comean Come — Extractors in view of the dangers attending the storage of petroleum or miseral oil, and similar combinatible materials, in large quantities, I respectively seem mean your Honorable fieldy to peak an ordinance forbooding the storing of keeping for an Personant in the crude state in quantities exceeding by a barries in any building or six re within the fire finite of the city. The recent colonity and loss of high in the city of Thildepoint, caused by the burners of personant, should are the Common Conceil to adopt in mediate measures for the noble worth.

In connection with this master. Ademian styers effored resolution, that in consequence of the distriction scotlands in a neighboring city, which has caused a herful destruction of the and property occasions d by the storage of Péredec Oil in large quantities, the Committee on Ordinana he detected to investigate the subject of the storage of periodes.

BOARD OF COUNCILMEN-The Board met at 2 clock p. m. on Monday, the President, James Hayes, esq. in

WM. CURTIS Noves .- A special meeting of the Twenty-arst Ward Union Association was held on Seturday

League Councils of this city have aloped a system of al-dresses on National subjects. The first of the series war do inverted by Peater A. Hawkins, esq. at the rooms of the kilor earth Ward Union League, and was quite largely attacked. Public notice will be given of the meetings to be held here after.

ICE IN THE RIVER. - There is a greater amount of floating ice in the East and North Rivers than has been known before for many years. 'The ferry boats experience much difficulty and delay in making their trips.